

5 county may issue and sell bonds to fund said warrants, as provided
6 by the laws of the state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing of this act shall affect pending litigation.

1 SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take
2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
3 Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, and
4 the "Albia Union-Republican", a newspaper published in the city of
5 Albia, without expense to the state.

Approved April 18, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital
April 19, 1923, and the Albia Union-Republican April 19, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 349

MUSCATINE COUNTY

LOUISA COUNTY

S. F. 314

AN ACT to legalize the action of the boards of supervisors of Muscatine and Louisa counties relative to the assessments against state lands in drainage district number thirteen (13), located in Muscatine and Louisa counties and to authorize the payment of said assessments.

WHEREAS, the state of Iowa is the owner of 536.41 acres in Keokuk lake in Muscatine county and 464.97 acres in Odessa lake in Louisa county; and,

WHEREAS, said lakes and lands are a part of joint drainage district number thirteen (13), located in Muscatine and Louisa counties; and,

WHEREAS, the boards of supervisors of Muscatine and Louisa counties and the board of appraisers of said joint drainage district number thirteen (13) have established a drainage district including said land and have assessed a drainage tax against said land amounting to thirty-eight thousand, seven hundred twenty dollars and sixty-five cents (\$38,720.65) against land located in Muscatine county and thirty-six thousand, three hundred twenty-nine dollars and ninety-eight cents (\$36,329.98) against land located in Louisa county, therefore:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the acts of said boards of supervisors in Muscatine
2 and Louisa counties and the board of appraisers in joint drainage dis-
3 trict number thirteen (13) in Muscatine and Louisa counties in
4 establishing said joint drainage district number thirteen (13) and
5 assessing a tax for the expense thereof against said state land, be
6 and the same is hereby legalized and confirmed in all respects.

1 SEC. 2. There is hereby appropriated and the treasurer of state
2 is hereby authorized to pay out of any funds not otherwise appropri-

3 ated the sum of seventy-five thousand, fifty dollars and sixty-three
4 cents (\$75,050.63), to cover the assessment against the state lands in
5 Keokuk lake, Muscatine county and in Odessa lake in Louisa county,
6 which are a part of joint drainage district number thirteen (13).

1 SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be
2 in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in
3 the Des Moines Register and the Des Moines News, newspapers pub-
4 lished at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 16, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines News April 17, 1923, and the Des Moines Register April 18, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 350

POCAHONTAS COUNTY

S. F. 383

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants issued by the board of supervisors of Pocahontas county, Iowa.

WHEREAS the county of Pocahontas, Iowa, by its board of supervisors, did heretofore authorize and incur indebtedness in the sum of seventy-four thousand two hundred twenty-four dollars (\$74,224), and prior to January 1, 1923, did issue warrants to the extent of said amount in evidence of such indebtedness, and

WHEREAS said indebtedness was incurred for proper corporate purposes and the county of Pocahontas and its citizens are now enjoying the use and benefit thereof, and the things for which said expenditures were made were and now are well worth the sum which the county so paid, and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued did not, and it does not now, and it never has, exceeded the constitutional limitations, but that the same at the time issued and now exceeds the statutory limitations, and

WHEREAS doubts have arisen concerning the legality or validity of the aforesaid warrants, or of a portion thereof, on the ground that the indebtedness which said warrants evidence, or a portion thereof, was contracted in excess of the statutory limitations, and

WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to put said doubts, as well as any and all other doubts which have arisen or may hereafter arise concerning the legality or validity of the aforesaid warrants, forever at rest;

Now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the acts of the board of supervisors of the county
2 of Pocahontas in making expenditures for said county, for the pur-